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**AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER (Small Entity)**

Applicant(s): MUNOZ ET AL

Docket No.

HOLMES-2

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Invention: STREAMER LAUNCHING SYSTEM

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Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

- Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

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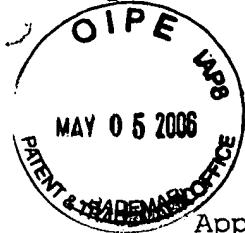


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The following is in response to the Final Office Action of 12/08/2005.

Cancel Claims 18 - 20 and 27 - 32, and enter new Claims 33 - 38.

LIST OF CLAIMS

Claims 1 - 14 (Cancelled)

Claims 15 - 17 (Allowed)

Claims 18 - 32 (Cancelled)

Claims 33 - 38 (New)